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In re Application of:

Ulrich STACHE et al.

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For: CORTICOID-17, 21-DICARBOXYLIC)

> ESTERS AND CORTICOSTEROID 17-CARBOXYLIC ESTER 21-CARBONIC ESTERS, PROCESSES FOR THEIR PREPARATION AND PHARMACEUTICALS CONTAINING

THESE COMPOUNDS

Assistant Commissioner for Patents Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

## PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Prior to the examination of the above application, please amend this application as follows:

## IN THE TITLE:

Please change the title to -- CORTICOID-17, 21-DICARBOXYLIC ESTERS AND CORTICOSTEROID 17-CARBOXYLIC ESTER 21-CARBONIC ESTERS, PROCESSES FOR THEIR PREPARATION AND PHARMACEUTICALS CONTAINING THESE COMPOUNDS -- to correct the spelling of "CORICOSTOID."

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